THE FLORIDA BOARD OF ACUPUNCTURE ANNUAL REGULATORY PLAN 2017-18

This Annual Regulatory Plan is being filed and published pursuant to section 120.74, *Florida Statutes* (2017). The Plan covers the period beginning October 1, 2017 and ending September 30, 2018.

PART ONE LAWS ENACTED OR AMENDED

Part One of the Plan addresses each law enacted or amended during the 2017 Legislative Session which creates or modifies the duties or authority of the Board of Acupuncture. §120.74(1)(a), Fla. Stat. (2017).

Law Enacted or Modified on or after Oct. 1, 2016	Florida Statute (modified or created)	Rule (impacted)	Must Agency Adopt Rules?	If Rulemaking Necessary, Notice of Development Published in Florida Administrative Register?	Expected Publication Date for Notice of Proposed Rulemaking	If Rulemaking Not Necessary, Explain
None						

PART TWO LAWS EXPECTED TO BE IMPLEMENTED THROUGH RULEMAKING

Part Two of this plan addresses those laws which the Board of Acupuncture intends to implement through rulemaking by July 1, 2018 that are otherwise not covered pursuant to Part One of this Plan. This Part does not include emergency rulemaking or any other rulemaking that may become necessary that was not evident to the Board at the time of the submission of this plan. Additionally, the listing of a law to be implemented does not mean the rule will necessarily be adopted or effective by July 1, 2018. §120.74(1)(b), Fla. Stat. (2017).

Rule Number And Title	Law Expected to Be Implemented Through Rulemaking	Intent of Rulemaking	
64B1-4.0011, F.A.C. (Documentation necessary for licensure Application.)	§456.0635, F.S., (Health Care Fraud; Disqualification for license, certificate or registration.)	Simplify, clarify, increase efficiency, improve coordination with other agencies, reduce regulatory costs, or delete obsolete, unnecessary, or redundant rules	
64B1-9.001, F.A.C. (Disciplinary guidelines.)	456.072, F.S., (Grounds of Discipline; penalties; enforcement.) 457.109, F.S., Disciplinary actions; grounds; action by the board.	Simplify, clarify, increase efficiency, improve coordination with other agencies, reduce regulatory costs, or delete obsolete, unnecessary, or redundant rules	

64B1-9.007, F.A.C. (Advertising.)	456.072, F.S., (Grounds of Discipline; penalties; enforcement.) 457.109, F.S., Disciplinary actions; grounds; action by the board.	Simplify, clarify, increase efficiency, improve coordination with other agencies, reduce regulatory costs, or delete obsolete, unnecessary, or redundant rules

PART THREE UPDATES TO PRIOR YEAR'S PLAN

Part Three of the Plan address whether there are any updates to the prior year's regulatory plan. §120.74(c), Fla. Stat. (2017).

- There are not any updates to the prior year's annual regulatory plan.

Assistant Attorney General

Counsel to the Board of Acupuncture

PART FOUR CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO §120.74(1)(d), Fla. Stat. (2017)

The undersigned hereby certify that they have reviewed this Annual Regulatory Plan and that the Board of Acupuncture regularly reviews all of its rules to determine if the rules remain consistent with the Board's rulemaking authority and the laws being implemented, with the most comprehensive enhanced review having been completed on the 30 day of June 2016 with continuing board review through August 2017.

/S/ Herman Vega	<u>9/6/2017</u>		
Electronic Signature	Date Signed		
Herman Vega, AMD., PhD., AP, LMHC			
Chair of the Board of Acupuncture			
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/S/ Diane Guillemette	<u>9/7/2017</u>		
Electronic Signature	Date Signed		
Diane L. Guillemette			